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Title: **METHOD FOR DRIVING SOLID-STATE IMAGE
PICKUP DEVICE**

Examiner: Brian C. Genco

Group Art Unit: 2615

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

SIR:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for:

one month

three months

two months

four months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$110.00

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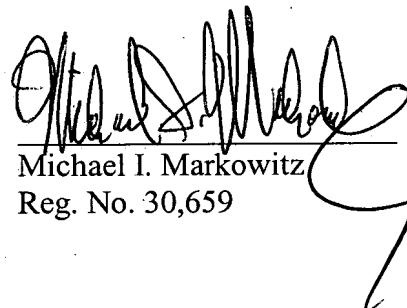
Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application. A verified small entity statement:

has been filed is enclosed

Also enclosed is a:

Response to Official Action
 Notice of Appeal Appeal Brief

Respectfully submitted,



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